

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A method for examining a caries risk of a person,  
with these characteristics of;

using a synthetic peptides having an amino acid  
sequence composed of a following Formula 1 as an  
antigen, and

measuring an antibody value of a secretory  
immunoglobulin A in a human saliva against said  
antigen.

[Formula 1]

Asn Ala Lys Ala Thr Tyr Glu Ala Ala Leu Lys Gln  
Tyr Glu Ala Asp Leu Ala Ala Val Lys Lys Ala Asn Ala  
Ala